

CIF 2025/2026 Grants Awarded Q1 13 July - 15 September 2025

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People					
CEvents25/26-038	Community Events Grants	Mount Eliza Chamber of Commerce	Movies on the Green	A series of four outdoor movie screenings on the Village Green in Mount Eliza, each Friday evening in February, 2026. The event aims to bring the community together for a family-friendly experience, offering a fun way to enjoy popular films under the stars in a relaxed, social atmosphere.	\$ 15,000.00
CEvents25/26-032	Community Events Grants	Rotary Club of Mornington	Mornington Art Show	The Mornington Art Show will be the 54th run by the Rotary Club of Mornington. Approx. 775 paintings from mainly Peninsular artists. The event will take place in the second half of January 2026. Rotary members and volunteers form the workforce.	\$ 9,700.00
CEvents25/26-013	Community Events Grants	Red Hill Community Association	Red Hill Mechanics Hall Centenary Celebration	The Red Hill Mechanics Hall is celebrating its Centenary. We are marking 100 years of service, stories and connection to the heart of our local community by hosting a ticketed old-time dance in the hall and a free community gathering outside on the Saturday evening	\$ 13,297.00
CEvents25/26-033	Community Events Grants	Flinders Fringe Festival Incorporated	Flinders Village Common Activation	Flinders Village Common Activation will celebrate the rich diversity within our local community with a focus on local LGBTIQA+ creatives. The event space will be activated with a stage for live music, tents to host workshops, and the fence line will feature large scale portraits of queer youths and elders.	\$ 14,992.00
CEvents25/26-006	Community Events Grants	Somers Paper Nautilus Inc	Western Port Writes Literary Festival 2026	After a successful inaugural literary festival in 2024, this community-based festival will run again in 2026. Lead-up events will culminate in a weekend with multiple sessions bringing readers and writers together. It will be held in the Western Port region of the Peninsula in October 2026.	\$ 15,000.00
CEvents25/26-024	Community Events Grants	New Peninsula Baptist Church	New Peninsula Carols 2025	New Peninsula Carols is a free, inclusive community event with live music, local performances, and family activities. Held over two evenings before Christmas, it offers entertainment, festive fun, and food, creating a welcoming space for people of all ages and backgrounds to celebrate together.	\$ 2,000.00

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CEvents25/26-022	Community Events Grants	Mornington Chamber of Commerce	Mornington Christmas Event and Carols in the Park	Mornington's Christmas Carols in the Park and Christams event will be a vibrant and community-driven event featuring local musicians, choirs, and bands, alongside the Festival of Lights winner announcement. This event aims to bring community together to share the season, support local talent, foster connection and promote the Main Street Mornington traders.	\$ 15,000.00
CEvents25/26-031	Community Events Grants	Willum Warrain Aboriginal Association	Reconcilliation Families and Allies Community Day	Reconciliation Family & Allies Day will unite Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, families, community and allies for a day of cultural sharing, performances, storytelling, workshops, and kids' activities—building understanding, connection, and a shared commitment to walking together toward a more inclusive future.	\$ 15,000.00
CEvents25/26-004	Community Events Grants	Mornington Community Garden	Mornington Community Garden Annual Open Day	This day gives the wider community an opportunity to visit and enjoy the garden. Regular tours are conducted explaining the history of the garden, the facilities, the purpose of the biolinks area, the unique infrastructure and our sustainable ethos and practice. The event will take place from 10.00am until 3pm.	\$ 800.00
CEvents25/26-019	Community Events Grants	Rye Sports & Social Club Inc	2026 Rye Gift Athletics Carnival & Family Fun Day	50th Year anniversary of running a professional foot Race conducted by Victorian Athletic League. Athletes from all over Victoria and some interstate compete in a number of events. There is prize money for each event. Community events with teams from Senior and Junior clubs participating in them.	\$ 8,500.00
CEvents25/26-041	Community Events Grants	Rosebud Christmas Carols	Rosebud Christmas Carols	Christmas Carols, food trucks, big band, Santa, nativity play, face painting, and a show.	\$ 2,000.00
CEvents25/26-002	Community Events Grants	Rotary Club of Sorrento Inc	Point Nepean Heritage Motor Show	The Motor Show, is a family orientated community fun day out , admiring vintage, heritage and classic vehicles, the proceeds of which will go towards Rotary's long standing support of the Southern Peninsula Support Group's programs benefiting the increasing number of homeless and victims of domestic violence on the Peninsula.	\$ 7,500.00
Total Q1 Community Events until 15 Sept 2025					<u>\$ 118,789.00</u>

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CSG25/26-001	Community Support Grants	Point Nepean Mens Shed Association	Primary School Intergeneration Support	This is a continuation of intergeneration classes involving teachers, students and the PNMSA members. The aim is to take projects into the classrooms and have the students perform educational activity under the supportive eyes of the staff and PNMSA members. school numbers have grown to include Sorrento Primary, St Joseph's Sorrento, Sorrento Kindergarten, Rye Primary, Tootgarook Primary and now Eastbourne Primary	\$ 5,000.00
CSG25/26-006	Community Support Grants	Red Hill and District Lions Club	Traffic Management Training	The Red Hill and Flinders Lions Clubs manage traffic at community events in the Mornington Peninsula to raise funds for the community. The training permits us to go onto the road and manage traffic safely for these events.	\$ 5,000.00
CSG25/26-013	Community Support Grants	Apod Family Support Ltd	Strengthening Carer Networks: Training and Wellbeing Support for Peninsula Families	Apod Family Support is currently supporting 75 people. We will provide a structured education program for the people we support and new families, friends and networks supporting people affected by mental health and substance use challenges from across the Mornington Peninsula, while delivering professional volunteer training for new volunteers.	\$ 4,988.00
CSG25/26-009	Community Support Grants	Gunnamatta Surf Life Saving Club	Installation of Shower Partitions at Gunnamatta SLSC	Our project will install partitions in the men's showers at Gunnamatta SLSC to improve privacy, safety, and create a more welcoming, family-friendly environment that encourages participation, especially among junior members. This upgrade supports our commitment to a safe, inclusive facility for all members and visitors.	\$ 4,500.00
CSG25/26-034	Community Support Grants	New Peninsula Mount Martha Men's Shed Inc	Buddy Benches, Bikes, Skateboards and Scooters for Primary Schools	Refurbishing Bikes, Skateboards and Scooters for donation to Primary and Special Schools on the Peninsula as well as designing and building robust Buddy Benches with the children doing the artwork. In the past 6 years we have delivered over 200 Bikes, Skateboards and Scooters to the Wallaroo Primary School (PS), Tyabb Railway PS, Crib Point PS along with a number of specialised 3 wheeled Trikes to Mornington Special Development School and Peninsula Special Development School.	\$ 5,000.00
CSG25/26-038	Community Support Grants	Mornington Peninsula Patchworkers Inc	Quilt In on 4 October 2025 at Peninsula Community Theatre	MPPI will host a Quilt In to provide like minded people the opportunity to gather together to sit, chat and sew while listening to guest speakers on topics of interest; browse pop up shops of sewing related items; view quilts by guest speakers; and showcase the work of MPPI members	\$ 2,453.00

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CSG25/26-016	Community Support Grants	Martha Cove Community Garden	Martha Cove Community Garden Greenhouse	Martha Cove Community Garden was started approximately 7 years ago - it has 140 members, and the initiative was to generate community activity that would join residents to generate true community activity and relationships. As a byproduct, vegetables and produce as well as honey from our hives have resulted .	\$ 5,000.00
CSG25/26-037	Community Support Grants	Hastings Community House Inc	Interactive Learning Hub	The Interactive Learning Hub will equip our community center with an advanced interactive whiteboard to deliver inclusive future -focused learning experiences. This technology will support AI -assisted education, digital literacy programs and creative workshops.Large print display settings will make sessions accessible for seniors, children and youth.	\$ 2,662.73
CSG25/26-026	Community Support Grants	Mornington Peninsula Legacy Club Inc	Christmas Gathering for Legacy Dependents with a Disability	On Saturday December 6/12/2025 - Christmas Gathering for Legacy dependents with a disability. They all have an intellectual disability with some also having physical ones.The opportunity to socialise with their peers and Legacy friends is limited. There is a welfare benefit in participating in the gathering for the mothers, siblings and/or carers also.	\$ 1,979.69
Total Q1 Community Support Grants Awarded until 15 Sept 2025					\$ 36,583.42
FG25/26-004	Flexi Grants	Dromana Bay Life Saving Club	Defibrillator (New) & Pin Lock Cabinet	Defibrillator has been stolen . New Defib proposed replacement and purchase locked cabinet. The cabinet can be unlocked in an emergency by ringing 000, the 000 operator provides the PIN code to unlock the cabinet & access the defib.	\$ 2,000.00
FG25/26-014	Flexi Grants	Point Nepean Mens Shed Association	Defibrillator Battery/Pad replacement	Defibrillator Battery/Pad replacement - PADPAK (battery/pads cartridge - due to expire Location: at Mens Shed 4 Hotham Rd Sorrento	\$ 259.00
FG25/26-015	Flexi Grants	Hastings Police Senior Citizens register	Update office recording system.	The Register has 900 clients. We operate a computer registration system to add update or remove members. Old Obsolete Physical documents need to be shredded securely (shredder)	\$ 500.00
FG25/26-020	Flexi Grants	Flinders Pre School Inc	Replacement secure server for Flinders Pre School	Flinders Preschool urgently requires a new server to meet Child Safe policy requirements. Our current system has failed, risking sensitive child and family data. An IT specialist (providing in-kind services) recommends immediate replacement.	\$ 696.00

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Total Q1 Flexi Grants Awarded until 15 Sept 2025					\$ 3,455.00

Q1 Grants Awarded - All 3 Strategic Directions (Period 13/07/25 - 15/09/25)	\$ 158,827.42
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